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As indicated by the attached patent cover page, the error occurred in the printing of the patent and was not due to the fault of applicant.

Specifically, the title should read "APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SHARING SIGNAL CONTROL LINES BETWEEN OPERATIONAL STATES"

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued as indicated on the enclosed PTO-1050 form.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

On page 1 of the patent the title line [54] should be amended to reflect the following:

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